

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS  
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December 21 - 28, 2009 Edition

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73 de Bruce, WA7BNM (bhorn@hornucopia.com)

This e-mail is divided into three sections:

- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:  
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Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party: 0001Z, Dec 19 to 2359Z, Jan 3

Mode: Any

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: (none)

Exchange: Members: Member No. + name + (state/province/country)

Non-Members: Serial No. + name + (state/province/country)

Lighthouse/Lightship: ARHLS No. + name + (state/province/country)

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

2 additional points per QSO with member

3 additional points per QSO with lighthouse/lightship

Bonus: x2 multiplier for all points if participant activated a

lighthouse/lightship

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: January 31, 2010

E-mail logs to: (none)

Mail logs to: Dave Ruch, NF0J

P.O. Box 20696

Bloomington, MN 55420-0696

USA

Find rules at: <http://arlhs.com/LCL-2009-guidelines.html>

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 21

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Band

All Band

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (Member No./power)  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member  
              3 points per QSO with member on same continent  
              5 points per QSO with member on different continent  
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
              Multiply mults by 2 if >50 members worked  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: December 27, 2009  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <http://www.fpqr.com/autolog.php>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.fpqr.com/fpqrprun.php>

SKCC Sprint: 0000Z-0200Z, Dec 23

Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m  
Classes: (none)  
Exchange: RST + Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC No./power)  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
              Bonus Points: 5 points per Centurion member QSO per band  
              Bonus Points: 10 points per Tribune member QSO per band  
              Bonus Points: 25 points per QSO with SKCC club call (K9SKC) per band  
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once  
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points  
Submit logs by: 2359Z December 25, 2009  
E-mail log summary to: (none)  
Post log summary at: <http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/sks-submit.html>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/>

DARC Christmas Contest: 0830Z-1059Z, Dec 26

Mode: CW, SSB  
Bands: 80, 40m  
Classes: Single Op Mixed (DL)(Low/High)  
          Single Op Mixed (non-DL)  
          Single Op CW (DL)(Low/High)  
          Single Op CW (non-DL)  
Max operating hours: 2.5 hours  
Max power: HP: >100W  
           LP: <=100W  
Exchange: DL: RS(T) + DOK (or Special Station abbreviation)  
          non-DL: RS(T) + QSO No.  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point  
Multipliers: DOK/Special Stations, once per band  
              Prefixes, once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (total DOK/Special Station  
mults + total prefix mults)  
Submit logs by: January 12, 2010  
E-mail logs to: xmas[at]dxhf[dot]darc[dot]de  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.darc.de/referate/dx/xedcxr.htm>

South Dakota QSO Party: 1200Z, Dec 26 to 1200Z, Dec 27

Mode: CW, Phone, Digital

Bands: All, except WARC

Classes: South Dakota Fixed

South Dakota Mobile

South Dakota QRP

Outside South Dakota

Outside South Dakota QRP

Exchange: SD: RS(T) + county

non-SD: RS(T) + (state/province/country)

Work stations: Once per county

QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO

2 points per CW QSO

3 points per digital QSO

Multipliers: SD: Each state, province, or county once per band per mode

non-SD: Each SD county once per band per mode

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: January 28, 2010

E-mail logs to: K7RE[at]arrl[dot]net

Mail logs to: SD QSO Party Entry

10559 West Hwy 14

Spearfish, SD 57783

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.w0blk.org/files/rules.pdf>

Stew Perry Topband Challenge: 1500Z, Dec 26 to 1500Z, Dec 27

Mode: CW

Bands: 160m Only

Classes: Single Op

Multi-Op

Max operating hours: 14 hours

Max power: HP: >100 watts

LP: 5-100 watts

QRP: <5 watts

Exchange: 4-Character grid square

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO plus 1 point per 500 km

multiply QSO points by 4 if QRP station

Multipliers: Low power: x1.5

QRP: x3

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x power multiplier

Submit logs by: January 31, 2010

E-mail logs to: tbdc[at]contesting[dot]com

Mail logs to: BARC

15125 SE Bartell Rd

Boring, OR 97009

USA

Find rules at: <http://jzap.com/k7rat/stew.rules.txt>

PODXS 070 Club QRP DX Scramble: 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 27

Mode: PSK31

Bands: 20m Only

Classes: Single Op

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: Name + DX entity

QSO Points: 1 point/QSO

Multipliers: Each DX entity (see rules)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults points

Submit logs by: January 27, 2010

E-mail logs to: n3dqu[at]yahoo[dot]com

Mail logs to: Jay Budzowski, N3DQU

070 Club QRP DX Scramble

109 S. Northview Ave.

New Castle, PA 16102-1633

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.podxs070.com/qrp-dx-scramble>

RAEM Contest: 0200Z-0959Z, Dec 27

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)

Single Op Single Band

Multi-Single

SWL

Max operating hours: 8 hours

Exchange: Serial No. + latitude (degs only) + longitude (degs only)

N=North, S=South, W=West, O=East (e.g. 57N 850)

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 50 points + 1 point for every degree difference in geo location,  
both latitude and longitude

QSO with Polar station: 100 points additional

QSO with RAEM Memorial Station: 300 points additional

Multipliers: Polar stations multiply total QSO points by 1.1

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points

Submit logs by: January 26, 2010

E-mail logs to: raem[at]srr[dot]ru

Mail logs to: Alex Pashkov

P.O.Box 177

Novosibirsk 630032

Russia

Find rules at: [http://raem.qrz.ru/contest/raem\\_2009/rules\\_eng\\_2009.php](http://raem.qrz.ru/contest/raem_2009/rules_eng_2009.php)

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NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:  
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Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party

0001Z, Dec 19 to 2359Z,

Jan 3

AGB New Year Snowball Contest

0000Z-0100Z, Jan 1

SARTG New Year RTTY Contest

0800Z-1100Z, Jan 1

AGCW Happy New Year Contest

0900Z-1200Z, Jan 1

AGCW VHF/UHF Contest

1600Z-1900Z, Jan 1 (144)

1900Z-2100Z, Jan 1 (432)

Original QRP Contest

1500Z, Jan 2 to 1500Z, Jan

3

ARRL RTTY Roundup

1800Z, Jan 2 to 2400Z, Jan

3

EUCW 160m Contest

2000Z-2300Z, Jan 2

Kid's Day Contest  
RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW  
ARS Spartan Sprint

0400Z-0700Z, Jan 3  
1800Z-2400Z, Jan 3  
2000Z-2130Z, Jan 4  
0200Z-0400Z, Jan 5

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CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS  
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Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).  
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EU PSK63 QSO Party: December 22, 2009  
E-mail: [ut7fp@srars.org](mailto:ut7fp@srars.org)  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://eu.srars.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=66&Itemid=141](http://eu.srars.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=66&Itemid=141)

LZ DX Contest: December 22, 2009  
E-mail: [lzdxc@yahoo.com](mailto:lzdxc@yahoo.com)  
Mail: BFRA  
P.O. Box 830  
1000 Sofia  
Bulgaria  
Find rules at: <http://lzdxbfra.org/rulesen.html>

MDXA PSK DeathMatch: December 24, 2009  
E-mail summary: [chucklem@comcast.net](mailto:chucklem@comcast.net)  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.mdxal.org/deathmatch.html>

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: December 27, 2009  
E-mail: (none)  
Upload log at: <http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php>  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrpapun.php>

Kentucky QSO Party: December 31, 2009  
E-mail: [k4cms@aol.com](mailto:k4cms@aol.com)  
Mail: Western Kentucky DX Association  
P.O. Box 73  
Alvaton, KY 42122  
USA  
Find rules at: [http://www.wkdx.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=35&Itemid=56](http://www.wkdx.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=35&Itemid=56)

JIDX Phone Contest: December 31, 2009  
E-mail: [ph@jidx.org](mailto:ph@jidx.org)  
Mail: JIDX Phone Contest  
c/o Five-Nine Magazine  
P.O. Box 59, Kamata  
Tokyo 144-8691  
Japan

Find rules at: <http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html>

All Austrian 160-Meter Contest: December 31, 2009

E-mail: [hf-contest\[at\]oevsv\[dot\]at](mailto:hf-contest[at]oevsv[dot]at)

Upload log at: <http://contestrobot.aoec160m.oevsv.at>

Mail: OEVS SV-HQ

HF-Contest Manager

Eisvogelgasse 4/1

A-1060 Vienna

Austria

Find rules at: [http://www.oevsv.at/export/oevsv/download/AOEC/Rules\\_AOEC\\_160m.pdf](http://www.oevsv.at/export/oevsv/download/AOEC/Rules_AOEC_160m.pdf)

IPARC Contest, CW: December 31, 2009

E-mail: [dj6qq\[at\]darc\[dot\]de](mailto:dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de)

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DL6QQ

Hurststr 9

D-51645 Gummersbach

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.ipa-rc.de/cont-e.htm>

IPARC Contest, SSB: December 31, 2009

E-mail: [dj6qq\[at\]darc\[dot\]de](mailto:dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de)

Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DJ6QQ

Hurststr 9

D-51645 Gummersbach

Germany

Find rules at: <http://www.ipa-rc.de/cont-e.htm>

TOPS Activity Contest: December 31, 2009

E-mail: [yo2rr\[at\]clicknet\[dot\]ro](mailto:yo2rr[at]clicknet[dot]ro)

Mail: Ioan Branga YO2RR

Str. Imparatul Traian nr.2

RO-305500 LUGOJ

ROMANIA

Find rules at: <http://www.procwclub.yo6ex.ro/TOP%20OF%20OPERATORS%20ACTIVITY%20CONTEST.pdf>

Mongolian DX Contest, CW/SSB: December 31, 2009

E-mail: [jtdxcontest\[at\]gmail\[dot\]com](mailto:jtdxcontest[at]gmail[dot]com)

Mail: Mongolian DX Contest, CW/SSB

P.O. Box 830

Ulaanbaatar-24

Mongolia

Find rules at: <http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/mongoliandxcwssb2009.pdf>

Feld Hell Sprint: January 1, 2010

E-mail: (none)

Post web summary: <http://www.emailmeform.com/fid.php?formid=202397>

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests>

TARA RTTY Melee: January 2, 2010

E-mail: (none)

Post web summary: [http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara\\_melee\\_score.html](http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_score.html)  
Mail: (none)  
Find rules at: [http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara\\_melee\\_rules.html](http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_rules.html)

ARCI Topband Sprint: January 3, 2010

E-mail: [contest@qrparci.org](mailto:contest@qrparci.org)  
Mail: ARCI Top Band Sprint  
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF  
139 Elizabeth St. W.  
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3  
Canada

Find rules at: <http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/5267/118/>

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: January 5, 2010

E-mail: [160meter@arrl.org](mailto:160meter@arrl.org)  
Mail: 160 Meter Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/160-meters.html>

ARRL EME Contest: January 5, 2010

E-mail: [EMEcontest@arrl.org](mailto:EMEcontest@arrl.org)  
Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/eme.html>

ARRL EME Contest: January 5, 2010

E-mail: [EMEcontest@arrl.org](mailto:EMEcontest@arrl.org)  
Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/eme.html>

ARRL EME Contest: January 5, 2010

E-mail: [EMEcontest@arrl.org](mailto:EMEcontest@arrl.org)  
Mail: EME Contest  
ARRL  
225 Main St.  
Newington, CT 06111  
USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/eme.html>

AGB-Party Contest: January 8, 2010

E-mail: [eu1eu@mail.ru](mailto:eu1eu@mail.ru)  
Mail: Igor "Harry" Getmann, EU1EU  
P.O.Box 143  
Minsk 220005

BELARUS

Find rules at: [http://www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb\\_party.htm](http://www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb_party.htm)

ARRL 10-Meter Contest: January 12, 2010

E-mail: [10meter\[at\]arrl\[dot\]org](mailto:10meter@arrl.org)

Mail: 10 Meter Contest

ARRL

225 Main St.

Newington, CT 06111

USA

Find rules at: <http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/10-meters.html>

CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run: January 12, 2010

E-mail: [ki0rb\[at\]arrl\[dot\]net](mailto:ki0rb@arrl.net)

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.cqc.org/contests/snow2009.htm>

CQ Worldwide DX Contest, CW: January 15, 2010

E-mail: [cw\[at\]cqww\[dot\]com](mailto:cw@cqww.com)

Mail: CQWW CW

CQ Magazine

25 Newbridge Road

Hicksville, NY 11801

USA

Find rules at: [http://www.cqww.com/2009\\_Rules\\_cqww.pdf](http://www.cqww.com/2009_Rules_cqww.pdf)

[http://www.cqww.com/CQ\\_WW\\_Xtreme\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.cqww.com/CQ_WW_Xtreme_Rules.pdf)

NA High Speed Meteor Scatter Winter Rally: January 15, 2010

E-mail: [wa5ufh\[at\]ykc\[dot\]com](mailto:wa5ufh@ykc.com)

Mail: (none)

Find rules at: [http://www.sportscliche.com/wb2fko/w09/rules\\_w09.pdf](http://www.sportscliche.com/wb2fko/w09/rules_w09.pdf)

OK DX RTTY Contest: January 15, 2010

E-mail: [okrtty\[at\]crk\[dot\]cz](mailto:okrtty@crk.cz)

Mail: Czech Radio Club

OK DX RTTY Contest

P.O.Box 69

113 27 Praha 1

Czech Republic

Find rules at: <http://www.crk.cz/ENG/DXCONTE.HTM>

Croatian CW Contest: January 19, 2010

E-mail: [9acw\[at\]9acw\[dot\]org](mailto:9acw@9acw.org)

Mail: Hrvatski RadioAmaterski Savez

for Croatian CW Contest

Dalmatinska 12

10000 Zagreb

Croatia

Find rules at: [http://www.9acw.org/index.php?](http://www.9acw.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=47:rules-2009&catid=39:english&Itemid=66)

[option=com\\_content&view=article&id=47:rules-2009&catid=39:english&Itemid=66](http://www.9acw.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=47:rules-2009&catid=39:english&Itemid=66)

Russian 160-Meter Contest: January 19, 2010

E-mail: [contest\[at\]radio\[dot\]ru](mailto:contest@radio.ru)

Mail: Radio Magazine



10 Seliverstov per.  
107045 Moscow  
Russia

Find rules at: <http://www.qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html>

ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint: January 20, 2010

E-mail: [contest\[at\]qrparci\[dot\]org](mailto:contest[at]qrparci[dot]org)

Mail: ARCI Holiday Spirits  
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF  
139 Elizabeth St. W.  
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3  
Canada

Find rules at: <http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8108/118/>

RAC Winter Contest: January 31, 2010

E-mail: [canadawinter\[at\]rac\[dot\]ca](mailto:canadawinter[at]rac[dot]ca)

Mail: Radio Amateurs of Canada  
720 Belfast Road, Suite 217  
Ottawa, Ontario K1G 0Z5  
Canada

Find rules at: [http://www.rac.ca/en/rac/programmes/contests/files/2009\\_Canada\\_Winter\\_Contest\\_Rules-FrenchandEnglish.PDF](http://www.rac.ca/en/rac/programmes/contests/files/2009_Canada_Winter_Contest_Rules-FrenchandEnglish.PDF)

International Naval Contest: February 1, 2010

E-mail: [inc\\_contest2009\[at\]nra\[dot\]pt](mailto:inc_contest2009[at]nra[dot]pt)

Mail: NRA - Nucleo Radioamadores da Armada  
Attn: Contest Manager of NRA  
International Naval Contest  
ETNA - Base Naval de Lisboa - ALFEIT  
2810-001 Almada  
Portugal

Find rules at: <http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=15>

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